

HOUSE No. 370

By Mr. Fresolo of Worcester, petition of John P. Fresolo and others for legislation to regulate the suspension of police officers charged with misconduct during the performance of duty. Public Service.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

John P. Fresolo Joan M. Menard
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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SUSPENSION OF POLICE OFFICERS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Section 25 of Chapter 268A of the Massachusetts General Laws
- 2 is hereby amended by adding at the end of the fifth paragraph, the
- 3 following new paragraph:—
- 4 This section shall not apply to police officers, who are charged
- 5 with such misconduct as a result of the performance of their
- 6 duties. Such actions shall be dealt with according to the provi-
- 7 sions of M.G.L. Chapter 31, sections 41 and 43.